

Please cancel original Claims 1-24 and add new Claims 25-34
all as follows:

- Claim 1. (Cancelled)
- Claim 2. (Cancelled)
- Claim 3. (Cancelled)
- Claim 4. (Cancelled)
- Claim 5. (Cancelled)
- Claim 6. (Cancelled)
- Claim 7. (Cancelled)
- Claim 8. (Cancelled)
- Claim 9. (Cancelled)
- Claim 10. (Cancelled)
- Claim 11. (Cancelled)
- Claim 12. (Cancelled)
- Claim 13. (Cancelled)

Claim 14. (Cancelled)

Claim 15. (Cancelled)

Claim 16. (Cancelled)

Claim 17. (Cancelled)

Claim 18. (Cancelled)

Claim 19. (Cancelled)

Claim 20. (Cancelled)

Claim 21. (Cancelled)

Claim 22. (Cancelled)

Claim 23. (Cancelled)

Claim 24. (Cancelled)

Claim 25. (Added) A method for constructing an electrical equipment enclosure having a NEMA-type AC power

outlet connector, said method comprising the steps of:

- a. providing an electrical equipment enclosure having peripheral walls, one of said walls formed having a standard IEC-sized cutout for receiving an IEC AC power outlet connector;
- b. forming a modified NEMA-type AC power outlet connector having a body region shaped to match said standard IEC-sized IEC AC power outlet connector cutout; and
- c. installing said modified NEMA-type AC power outlet connector body into said standard IEC-sized IEC AC power outlet connector cutout.

Claim 26. (Added) The method for constructing an electrical equipment enclosure having a NEMA-type AC power outlet connector as claimed in Claim 25, wherein the step of providing said electrical equipment enclosure includes providing an enclosure wall having a plurality of standard-sized IEC C13, 250VAC, 10 ampere, AC power outlet connector cutouts, said cutouts being rectangular in shape and about 1.28 inches by about 0.98 inch.

Claim 27. (Added) The method for constructing an electrical equipment enclosure having a NEMA-type AC power outlet connector as claimed in Claim 26, wherein the step of forming a modified NEMA-type AC power outlet connector includes forming a plurality of said modified NEMA-type AC power outlet connectors corresponding to NEMA AC power outlet connectors selected from the group consisting of NEMA 5-15R, 125 VAC, 15 ampere; NEMA 6-15R, 250VAC, 15 ampere; NEMA 5-20R, 125 VAC, 20 ampere; and NEMA 6-20R, 250VAC, 20 ampere AC power outlet connectors, said modified NEMA-type AC power outlet connectors being formed having protruding

rectangular shoulder regions of about 1.375 inches by about 1.0625 inches, and including installing the bodies of said plurality of NEMA-type power outlet connectors into said plurality of IEC-sized IEC C13 power outlet connector cutouts.

Claim 28. (Added) The method for constructing an electrical equipment enclosure having a NEMA-type AC power outlet connectors as claimed in Claim 25, wherein the step of providing said electrical equipment enclosure includes providing an enclosure wall having a plurality of IEC C19, 250VAC, 16 ampere AC power outlet connector cutouts , said cutouts being rectangular in shape and about 1.180 inches by about 1.496 inches.

Claim 29. (Added) The method for constructing an electrical equipment enclosure having NEMA-type AC power outlet connectors as claimed in Claim 28, wherein the step of forming a modified NEMA-type AC power outlet connector includes forming a plurality of said modified NEMA-type AC power outlet connectors corresponding to NEMA AC power outlet connectors selected from the group consisting of NEMA 5-20R, 125 VAC, 20 ampere; and NEMA 6-20R, 250VAC, 20 ampere AC power outlet connectors, and including installing the bodies of said plurality of NEMA-type power outlet connectors into said plurality of IEC-sized IEC C19 power outlet connector cutouts.

Claim 30. (Added) An electrical equipment enclosure having a NEMA-type AC power outlet connector, said enclosure comprising:

- a. an electrical equipment enclosure having peripheral walls, one of said walls formed having a standard IEC-sized cutout for receiving an IEC AC power outlet connector;
- b. a modified NEMA-type AC power outlet connector having a body region shaped to match said standard IEC-sized IEC AC power outlet connector cutout; said modified NEMA-type AC power outlet connector body being installed into said standard IEC-sized IEC AC power outlet connector cutout.

Claim 31. (Added) The electrical equipment enclosure having a NEMA-type AC power outlet connector as claimed in Claim 30, wherein said electrical equipment enclosure includes an enclosure wall having a plurality of standard IEC-sized IEC C13, 250VAC, 10 ampere, AC power outlet connector cutouts, said cutouts being rectangular in shape and about 1.28 inches by about 0.98 inch.

Claim 32. (Added) The electrical equipment enclosure having a NEMA-type AC power outlet connector as claimed in Claim 31, wherein the modified NEMA-type AC power outlet connector includes a plurality of said NEMA-type AC power outlet connectors corresponding to NEMA AC power outlet connectors selected from the group consisting of NEMA 5-15R, 125 VAC, 15 ampere; NEMA 6-15R, 250VAC, 15 ampere; NEMA 5-20R, 125 VAC, 20 ampere; and NEMA 6-20R, 250VAC, 20 ampere AC power outlet connectors, said modified NEMA-type AC power outlet connectors having protruding rectangular shoulder regions of about 1.375 inches by about 1.0625 inches, the bodies of said plurality of NEMA-type power outlet connectors being installed in said plurality of IEC-sized IEC C13 power outlet connector cutouts..

Claim 33. (Added) The electrical equipment enclosure having a NEMA-type AC power outlet connector as claimed in Claim 30, wherein said electrical equipment enclosure includes an enclosure wall having a plurality of IEC-sized IEC C19, 250VAC, 16 ampere AC power outlet connector cutouts, said cutouts being rectangular in shape and about 1.180 inches by about 1.496 inches.

Claim 34. (Added) The electrical equipment enclosure having a NEMA-type AC power outlet connector as claimed in Claim 33, wherein the modified NEMA-type AC power outlet connector includes a plurality of said NEMA-type AC power outlet connectors corresponding to NEMA AC power outlet connectors selected from the group consisting of NEMA 5-20R, 125 VAC, 20 ampere; and NEMA 6-20R, 250VAC, 20 ampere AC power outlet connectors, the bodies of said plurality of NEMA-type power outlet connectors being installed in said plurality of IEC-sized IEC C19 power outlet connector cutouts.

REMARKS:

By this Amendment all original Claims 1 through 24 are cancelled and are replaced by added Claims 25 through 34 to thereby simplify and reduce the number of claims and to put claims in condition for allowance or appeal. This response is made without prejudice to Applicants' right to request continued examination of the Application.

REJECTION OF CLAIMS 1 AND 20 UNDER 35 U.S.C. 102(e):

The Examiner's rejection of independent Claims 1 and 20 (page 2, Par. 2 of the Office Action) under 35 U.S.C. 102(e)